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YIELD AND METHOD  
FOR MAKING THE SAME**

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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Further to the Preliminary amendment filed June 22, 2006, kindly enter the following amendments:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

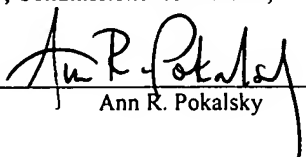
**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.

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